

## BRITAIN IS BEATEN IN MOVE TO LIMIT MANDATE CONTROL

Nonmandatory Nations  
Win Majority of Perma-  
nent Commission.

BRUSSELS MEETING ACTION  
UPHELD BY ASSEMBLY

Lord Robert Cecil Urges Amer-  
ica to Take Armenia's  
Guardianship.

COST WOULD BE \$20,000,000

South African Delegate Believes  
Comparatively Small Sum Would  
Save Suffering Nation.

[By Associated Press.]

GENEVA, Nov. 26.—The difficulty of any single power or influence dominating the league of nations was demonstrated today when the council of that body, in spite of determined protests by the British member, decided finally to give control in the permanent mandates commission to nonmandatory powers. The commission will be composed of representatives of five nonmandatory powers, and four of them mandatory states.

Today's action was a confirmation of a decision taken at the Brussels session of the council. The decision was made by the British since it was announced after the Brussels meeting. They obtained a reconsideration of the question, but again were outvoted.

Honorio Pueyrredon, Argentine delegate to the assembly, announced today that the Argentine delegation would protest to the assembly the rejection by committee No. 2 of all amendments to the covenant of the league. He said also that he would bring on the floor of the assembly a resolution providing for election of all members of the council by the assembly.

Major Churchill En Route.  
There was some discussion in league circles today about the expected arrival from Bern of Major Churchill, head of the American army intelligence service, who, it has been reported, is coming to watch the league developments for any action that might interest his department.

That the United States would be the best nation to accept the mandate for Armenia is the opinion of Lord Robert Cecil, who is acting as one of South Africa's delegates to the league of nations assembly, as expressed by the American newspaper correspondents tonight. The United States, he added, probably would have more influence with Mustafa Kemal, the Turkish nationalist leader, who is conducting a campaign against the Armenians, than any other nation.

Lord Robert said \$20,000,000 would supply the necessary military assistance to put Armenia on her feet.

"I have been advised by very good military opinion," he said, "that a good deal could be done to save Armenia with the expenditure of that amount. We have appealed to many states and organizations, but so far we have had nothing but suggestions. I think the United States would be the best country to solve the Armenian question, inasmuch as that country would have the most influence with Mustafa Kemal. Twenty million dollars would enable us to organize the military expedition necessary to establish Armenian independence. The money could be regarded as a loan to the Armenian state, which could be repaid if the Armenian economic position were established."

While refusing to name the number of troops necessary, Lord Robert stated it would be easy to obtain a volunteer force composed of Armenians and the nationals of neighboring states.

"The Armenian question," he explained, "resolves itself largely into whether there is any government or people in the world caring enough about Armenia to furnish the necessary money for the work."

The South African delegate avoided the question of a possible revision of the Turkish treaty by means of a serving Armenia. He believed that subject was being taken up by the assembly.

Assembly Work Successful.  
After declaring that the work of the assembly had been extraordinarily successful, Lord Robert continued:

"No one foresees that the assembly would become a corporate body with real life in it. The assembly, above all, has a genuine belief in its own utility and regards itself, and rightly so, as the supreme international authority, so far as such authority can exist.

"I think the assembly will do something of great value. It will accomplish the international court of justice; will pass on the admission of members—and I hope it will take a large and generous view of that subject—and it will review the present international situation and the work of the council. Not the least encouraging symptom is that the assembly is taking things very seriously."

Lord Robert expressed the hope that there would be one woman member of each delegation, but said this was not possible for the first sessions. He indicated that the assembly would make no change in the duration of sessions, saying: "The states meet in effect, treaties, and the mandates should not be changed unless the trust fails."

## Five-Year-Old Boy Saves Life of Drowning Mother

[By Associated Press.]

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 26.—Five-year-old Charles Roberts saved his mother's life today. Mrs. Roberts, who is the wife of Captain Perry Roberts, of Melville, Maine, master of the barge Elect, had jumped into the harbor from the barge in an effort to rescue an infant daughter, who had fallen overboard.

The child was drowned and the mother was sinking, when young Charles threw her a rope. The boy was too weak to help his mother and she clung to the rope until the captain of a tug, who had seen her plight from the other side of the harbor, steamed to her assistance.

PEACE PACT TO WAIT FOR  
HARDING'S INAUGURATION

Republican Leaders Decide on This  
Course at Conference in Wash-  
ington Friday.

[By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—Following conferences which brought Senators Knox, of Pennsylvania; Kellogg, of Minnesota, and Cummins, of Iowa, and Senator Lodge's office today, it became known that the Republicans will not attempt to pass a peace resolution in the coming short session.

Instead a resolution, similar to the Knox resolution passed last May and vetoed by President Wilson, will be rushed through the sixty-seventh Congress which will meet in special session immediately after President-Elect Harding is inaugurated.

"Republican leaders are of the opinion that in the present Senate a peace resolution could not be carried over the President's veto. Congress will attempt to appropriate bills of its attention to appropriation bills and immigration legislation in the coming session," said Speaker Gillett, as he left the office of the majority leader of the Senate.

Senator Lodge, himself, insisted that any discussion of peace plans in the United States, after President-Elect Harding has been given a chance to consider the party policy.

"I do not think that we will attempt to reorganize the governmental departments until we have control of them," said the Senate leader, commenting on the reorganization bill that will be introduced by Senator McCormick, of Illinois.

KANSAS ANTICIGARETTE  
LAW WILL BE TESTED

State Supreme Court Allows Writ of  
Error Putting Measure Up to  
U. S. Tribunal.

[By Associated Press.]

TOPEKA, KANSAS, Nov. 26.—The Kansas anticigarette law will be tested before the Supreme Court of the United States, attorneys announced today when the State Supreme Court allowed a writ of error, which permits an appeal to the Federal court.

Immediately following the State Supreme Court's decision, several weeks ago, upholding the law, Miss Lucy Furge Gustin, of Chicago, representative of the National Anticigarette League, began a campaign in the State to have the law enforced.

Local officers have conducted raids, confiscating cigarettes and prosecuting vendors in various parts of the State, according to reports received by Richard J. Hopkins, Attorney-General.

CLEVELAND JUSTICE FACES  
TRIAL ON MURDER CHARGE

William H. McGannon Is Indicted in  
Connection With Death of  
Harold C. Kagy.

[By Associated Press.]

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 26.—William H. McGannon, chief justice of the Municipal Court, faces trial for second degree murder. He was indicted today by the grand jury making its second investigation into the killing of Harold C. Kagy, and will be arraigned before Judge Frank C. Day in Criminal Court tomorrow morning. Judge Day set bail at \$10,000. Late tonight McGannon had not been arraigned.

The second grand jury of the Kagy slaying met on Thursday, the day after John W. Joyce was acquitted of the crime by a jury.

Witnesses at the Joyce trial testified that McGannon was present at the shooting after McGannon had testified he left Joyce and Kagy previous to the shooting.

WHOLESALE PORK PRICES  
RECORD SHARP DROP

Pork Loina Decline 5 Cents, Spare  
Ribs 4, and Shoulders Go  
Down 2 Cents.

[By Associated Press.]

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 26.—Wholesale prices on fresh pork recorded a sharp drop here today. One packing company quoted pork loins at 25 cents a pound, a decline of 5 cents from the price earlier in the week. Spare ribs sold at 19 cents a pound, a 3-cent drop. Leaves were off 4 cents to 20 cents and shoulders were quoted 2 cents lower at 19-2 to 20 cents.

First grade bacon declined 3 cents and lard a half cent.

The top price paid for hogs at the stockyards today was \$10, the lowest since early in 1917.

## STATE'S TEACHERS ELECT SMITHEY AS ASSOCIATION HEAD

New President of Body  
Has Filled Office Since  
Cannon's Death.

DELEGATES WANT TO TAKE  
OVER EDUCATION JOURNAL

Governor and Moore Make Ad-  
dresses During Conference's  
Closing Hours.

[By Associated Press.]

Dr. W. R. Smithey, professor of education at the University of Virginia, was elected yesterday president of the State Teachers' Association, a position he has been filling since the death of Mallory K. Cannon, whom he succeeded by appointment. Election of other officers was not made.

Resolutions calling upon the association to take over the Virginia Journal of Education, and authorizing the executive committee to appoint an organizer and executive secretary to edit and take over the affairs of the paper were adopted at the final general session of the education conference here. The organization also approved a resolution increasing the dues of its members from 25 to 50 cents per annum.

Fix Salary of Secretary.

The resolution calling for the appointment of an executive secretary who will have charge of the Journal of Education came from the committee on Journal of Education. The resolution calls for an appropriation of \$2,000 toward the salary of the secretary, who shall have to make the rest of his compensation through the returns from the paper. The Journal did better last year than ever before, the report showed. The secretary can be elected at any time by the executive committee, but the resolution provides that the board of directors shall have the right to elect him before his final appointment.

At the close of the final session 2,502 delegates had registered. This, however, did not include all who were present, as many did not register. The delegates appeared yesterday to get tickets to a musical entertainment given by Richmond music companies at City Auditorium for their benefit. Many registered in order to get tickets, while others turned away, the room being crowded and the teachers preferring to miss the entertainment rather than wait to register.

Resolution on Cannon's Death.

Another action of the meeting yesterday was to raise the salary of the secretary of the Journal of Education from \$1,500 to \$2,000. Resolutions were also passed on the death of the late president, Mallory K. Cannon.

It was also resolved that the executive committee of the organization, with the aid of the Department of Public Instruction, draft a compulsory education law, to be presented at the next session of the General Assembly.

The resolutions were presented by W. R. Duke, chairman of the resolutions committee. Dr. W. R. Smithey presided. Mrs. A. J. Montague appeared for a moment before the session and asked that a day be observed annually in every Virginia school for the Home for Needy Confederate Women, and that the pupils be asked to bring one egg each as a donation to this cause. Miss Moffett asked for a better defined observance in the schools of the birthday of Matthew Fontaine Maury, noted marine scientist.

Betterment of health conditions, improvement of school facilities and compulsory education were emphasized at a meeting yesterday morning of the Co-operative Education Association in the auditorium of the John Marshall High School in connection with the annual Virginia Educational Conference. The work of the association under the auspices of the Co-operative Education Association also was discussed in detail.

The meeting was principally conducted by Dr. Smithey.

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## HARDING CONSIDERS DEFENSE PROBLEMS OF PANAMA CANAL

President-Elect Makes Minute  
Inspection of Forti-  
fications.

[By Associated Press.]

ANCON, CANAL ZONE, Nov. 26.—Problems connected with the defense of the Panama Canal were studied by Senator Harding today during a detailed inspection of the fortifications at the Pacific terminus of the waterway and in conference with army and navy officials in charge of the zone forces. He spent several hours making a round of defenses in company with Brigadier-General Chase W. Kennedy and Rear-Admiral Marbury Johnston, of whom he asked many questions on the capabilities and needs of the establishment.

The operation of the big guns was demonstrated to the President-elect, and many problems of strategic policy were laid before him.

Accompanying Senator Harding were Senator Frederick Hale, member of the Senate Naval Committee, and Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, chairman of the Coast Defense Committee, his guests on the trip.

Late this afternoon Senator Harding returned by train to Cristobal.

## Rollicking Scenes at Governor's Mansion When "Newsies" Dine

Two hundred noisy "newsies" in assorted sizes and various laids, representing the aristocracy of Richmond's paper-vending fraternity descended on the Governor's Mansion yesterday for a brief, but eventful visit. They ate ice cream until a shortage existed, drank punch until there was no more to drink, roared forth "Buckwheat cakes" in unison, in various keys, skated on the hardwood floors and skid down the banisters of the ancestral home of Virginia's Governors.

When the turbulent throng came to the mansion for the reception at 6 o'clock, they were met by a committee composed of Mrs. Robert F. Hudson, Dr. J. T. Martin, S. Walke, Mrs. John S. Munce, Mrs. Arthur W. Hill and Mrs. Eula Young Morrison. Arthur W. Hill, of Texas, an entertainer, was present and aided and abetted the enjoyment of the evening, being in charge, except the eating. Mrs. A. W. Hoey played things on the piano and Mrs. Lane after Stoney the ice cream gave out, owing to an error of the commissary department in not ganging the appetites of news vendors properly, there were no casualties when the salient was evacuated at 8 P. M.

Although the Governor had more enthusiastic company to call, and the attraction was apparently mutual, for the delegation left with the assurance that it had had the time of its life.

## BOLLING IS STRAIGHT IN INVESTIGATOR'S OPINION

John T. Meehan Says Character of  
Accusers Deterred Him From  
Further Probe.

[By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—John T. Meehan, deputy chief of the Shipping Board's bureau of investigation, testified before the Walsh committee today that charges of alleged division of money by R. W. Bolling, President of the Shipping Board, were not "thoroughly investigated" by the board. Sister is a former secretary of the board and Sands a former Washington bank official.

He explained the department's failure to go deeper into the charges as due to his opinion that the board, now treasurer of the Shipping Board, was the "victim of attempted blackmail." Meehan testified, however, he had received no instructions to halt the investigation, and that it was still open.

Meehan testified previously, but he was recalled by the committee after Sands had repeated his allegation that Bolling and Sister were involved in the division of the money, the proceeds of notes given to him by Wallace Downey.

Conference Is Held.

The extent of the board's inquiries, Meehan testified, was to talk to Bolling, Admiral Benson, Martin Gillen, special assistant to former Chairman Payne, and to ascertain if the Department of Justice had obtained the schedule.

The investigation, in so far as the Shipping Board's men went into it, he said took place about June 1, this year.

Meehan added that his opinion that the charges were without foundation was induced, to a certain extent, by the "reputation of the men from whom he believed the charges emanated." He admitted he did not examine Sands' books and that he did not go to the Downey Shipbuilding Corporation to ascertain why it would be necessary for them to pay \$40,000 to secure a contract when they had previously been awarded one by the board for a much larger sum.

Chairman Walsh asked him if he knew of a single investigation that

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Methodists Are Urged  
To Lift Amusement Ban

Attitude of Denomination Toward  
Dancing and Theaters Resented  
in Open Letter.

[By Associated Press.]

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 26.—An open letter, expressing resentment over the alleged attitude of the Methodist Episcopal Church toward the amusement profession, was received today by the House of Bishops of the Methodist Church, in session here, from the New York Dancing Teachers' Association and the American Conclave of Dancing Teachers.

The letter was referred to a committee of which Bishop Anderson is chairman, and the committee recommended that no action be taken. The House of Bishops as a whole has not yet acted on the recommendations.

The committee also recommended specifically that the Methodist Church remove the ban on dancing, and criticized the laws of the church which prohibit its members from indulging in dancing, card playing and theater-going.

Bishop Berry announced today that bishops would preside over the annual conference of the denomination during the last year.

The board of bishops has before it a new course of study for ministerial candidates. The course is changed every four years. The present course was submitted tentatively, and final decision will not be reached for another six months, as they will be sent to the men in foreign fields for their approval also.

Another controversy over the text of the new book is anticipated. The book now in use was attacked from the moment they were distributed by a certain faction which claims that some of the teachings were un-Christian.

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RENEWAL OF TROUBLE  
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MINGO STRIKE AREA

400 Picked Soldiers Ready to  
Leave for Williamson,  
West Virginia.

[By Associated Press.]

CAMP SHERMAN, Ohio, Nov. 26.—A provisional battalion of 400 picked troops is under arms here to leave for Williamson, W. Va., early tomorrow. A renewal of trouble in the strike district has resulted in the recall of Federal troops to that section for police duty. It was announced, Captain E. L. Brine, commanding the provost guard, left this afternoon for Mingo County, W. Va. He was supposed to have gone to make preparations for a possible movement of troops into the coal strike region, but camp headquarters would not confirm his errand.

Exploding Boiler Kills Three.

DUNWOODY, GA., Nov. 26.—Three men were killed and two seriously injured by the explosion of a boiler at the Dunwoody Milling Company here today. The dead: Graham Spruille, aged 24; John Manning, 40, and Leonard O'Shields, 40. The injured: C. A. Spruille and son Benny. They were rushed to a hospital at Atlanta.

## LAWYERS INDORSE JOHN L. INGRAM TO BE POLICE JUSTICE

Richmond's Legal Profes-  
sion Expresses Prefer-  
ence for Judgeship.

COUNCIL WILL MEET  
MONDAY FOR ELECTION

Bar Passes Resolution, Asking  
Fees Be Withdrawn From  
Emolument.

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Dr. Friedman admitted the burns were due to the X-ray, but maintained Mrs. Antowill was unusually sensitive to the rays and that this condition caused her suffering.

The court decided the physician had been guilty of malpractice.

FATHER DYING, LAD TAKES  
PAYROLL FOR JOURNEY

Elliott M. ener Disappears From Bal-  
win Locomotive Works With  
\$4,300 in Cash.

[By Associated Press.]

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 26.—A 15-year-old office boy disappeared today with pay envelopes containing \$4,300 from the Baldwin Locomotive Works.

The lad is Elliott M. ener, and a desire to see his father, said to be dying in Spokane, Wash., is believed by detectives to have induced him to leave the city hurriedly. The boy's mother started across the country Sunday night in an effort to reach her husband before he died and the lad is believed to be following.

He was assisting in distributing pay envelopes before he disappeared.

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